IN BEHALF OF DOC BACON

Preliminary Steps for New Trial by Petersburg Counsel

WHITES GIVE TO THE FUND

The Primary to Be Waged in Petersburg To-Day-Marriags of Circus Performers-A Richmond Boy Held for His Parents.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., Sept. 23.-Mr.

James T. Rahily left to-day for Boydton and Chase City for the purpose of taking preliminary steps in the effort to get a new trial for Doc Bacon. Whether Mr. Rahliy will ask the Circuit Court of Mecklenburg for a stay of execution or appeal at once to the Supreme Court for a writ of error will be determined by the situation. The subscriptions continue to come into the fund being raised by the citizens, the amount contributed by the whites thus far being in excess of that contributed by the colored people. The case is one that has enlisted considerable interest in Petersburg among all classes. The prevailing opinion is that if the negro, even as an auxiliary to the attempted assault, that he should be hanged, but they believe that in the view of recent developments that his fate should be decided by another trial.

THE PRIMARY.

The candidates are all rendy for the primary, which will be held in this city to-morrow to nominate candidates for the House of Delegates. There is only one office to be filled, and three applicants for the honer, each of whom to-day situation. The subscriptions continue to

office to be filled, and three application for the honor, each of whom to-day seemed perfectly confident of victory. All of the young men are well known lawyers, popular throughout the city, and friends of each other. The contest will be a spirited one; and an effort will be made to get out a full vote, but it is not likely that more than half those registered will go to the polls to-morrow, Mr. W. W. Baugh, of Surry county, denies the report circulated that he had withdrawn as a candidate for nomination to the Legislature from Prince George county. He says positively that he has not withdrawn and expects to win at to-morrow's election.

A CIRCUS TOWN.

Mr. Gerald Flizgerald, press agent with the Wallace shows, says that the attendance in this city yesterday was as large as any during the season, equally as large as the attendance in Richmond. There were 15,000 paid admissions at both performances, making the amount received \$3,700.

Bernard Robinson, a youth, ran away from his home in Richmond yesterday and came to Petershurg for the purpose, he says, of seeing the circus. He was placed under arrest and his father notified. A romantic marriage was solemnized yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at West Street Methodist Episcopal Church, when Miss Ina Moretta Jacot, a circus actress, and Mr. Roy Dennis Smith, a musician were married by the pastor, Rev. Fred G. Davis. The bride is one of the leading performers in Wallace's circus in statuary and acrial work, and is a fine equestrienne. She gave her age as iwenty-one and the names of her parents as Jessie and Catherine Jacot, of Romulus, Michleran, Mr. Smith both took part in the clerk's office, where they secured the license, by Mr. and Mrs Pearce, who are also members of Wallace's shows, and who were married under similar circumstances about iffteen years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Smith both took part in the clerk's office, where they secured the license, by Mr. and Mrs Pearce, who are also members of Wallace's shows, and who were married under similar circumstances about i

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Mrs. W. J. Taylor, the wife of Rev. Dr. Taylor, who has recently accepted the cail to the First Baptist Church, in this city, reached Petersburg to-night, accompanied by his two daughters. They will be guess in the home of Mr. Bartlett Roper, on Market Street, and all members and friends of the church are cordially invited by him to call on the wife of the new pastor.

Mrs. Rebecca L. Roberts, of Norfolk, State Councilor of the Daughters of Liberty, will visit Virginia Dare Council. No. 5, of this city, next Monday night, on which occasion there will me an outpouring of the membership. On Tuesday night she will visit Mount Vernon Council. No. 20, Ettrick. She will be accompanied by a Petersburg delegation. Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Booth are spending some time at the Hot Springs.

Miss Maude Nunnally has gone on a visit to relatives in Brunswick county.

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Mr. Robert Gilliam, Jr., who has been quite sick with fever, is now very much improved.

The condition of James Rives, the colored man who was run over by a circus wagon vesterday afternoon, is quite serious. He was badly mashed about the

rroin.
The will of Mrs. Judie A. Wilburn was proved in the clerk's office to-day.
J. C. Smith qualifying as executor.
Mr. Smith also qualified in the estate of Mrs. Neille J. Smith, with will annexed.

ROANOKE COLLEGE

Fifty-first Session Opens With Good Attendance,

Attendance,

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BALEM, VA. Sept. 23.—The fifty-first session of Roanoke College began here to-day with a good attendance of students. Addresses were made by Major W. W. Ballard, Dr. F. H. Martin. Dr. R. B. Perry, of Saga, Japan, and Dr. J. A. Morehead, the new president of the college. The new main building is nearing completion.

Staunton 4: Washington and Lee I (Special to The Times Dispatch.)

STAUNTON, VA., Sept. 23.—The Staunton team defeated the Washington and Lea University base-ball team here to-day by the score of 4 to 1.

From the view point of the average man is very easy. The wife is right at home. She is her own mistress. She can sit down and rest any time. She can even go to bed for a nap if she feels like it. She can order her household affairs just to suit her own convenience. If she doesn't feel equal to doing work to-day, alse can do it to-morrow.

That's the beautiful theory. She can stop and rest. She can lie down. Why not? There are chairs and bed's a-plenty.

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Just suppose the Egyptian taskmasters, when they made the required daily tale of bricks tax the uttermost of human strength, had said to the tabliture players.

of human strength, had said to the toiling slaves, "Don't hurry, take a rest every now and then—only dou't forget that your tale of bricks must be all right at night or else there'il be trouble."

There's the fact. There are the day's duties to be got through and the women who can rest may not. The woman, who, when she married, said, "Now I'll be my own mistress," finds herself a slave to household cares and duties.

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And oh! how much that woman need

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And oh! how much that woman needs the rest sometimes. She brushes and scrubs, and rolls pastry, her temples throbbing, her back aching, her nerves quivering under the stress of pain. What she would give if she could just creep upstairs and throw herself on the bed in a darkened room and rest.

Rest would temporarily relieve the strain, doubtless, but it would be the same story over again to-morrow. The real need of weak, nervous women is not rest, but strength, and that real need is fully met and satisfied by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It makes weak women strong and sick women well. It removes the causes of women's weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It tranquilizes the nerves, encourages the appetite and induces restful sleep. "Favorite Prescription" contains no alcohol, neither opium, cocaine, nor any other narcotic. It is a purely vegetable preparation and will agree with the weakest constitution.

GREAT GRATITUDE.



OPERATION AVOIDED.

"October 12th, 1898, I wrote you for the first time," \$429 Mrs. Alice E. Shipley, of West Point, Hardres, Says Mrs. Alice E. Shipley, of West Point, Hardres, Mrs. Alice E. Shipley, and the wind with the work, which was perfect wreck physically. I underwent an examination by one of the roost prominent physicians of Louisville, Ky. He pronounced my case tumor of the stounch and sdvised me to return in two weeks and have an operation performed My husband had such a dread of the knile that he prevailed on me to try Dr. Pierce's melicities. I took seven bottles of Petats, which cured me of constipation. Have not taken any medicine since the last of Petats, which cured me of constipation. Here not taken any medicine since the last of Petats, under the benefit derived.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasaut Pellets are of

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are of great benefit in connection with "Favorite Prescription" when the use of a laxative medicine is indicated.

RUNAWAY ELECTRIC CAR IN STAUNTON

The City Council Will Look Into the Methods of Running.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) STAUNTON, VA., September 23.—About 9 o'clock this morning car 23 got beyond control of the motorman, Arthur Baylor, on the South Augusta Street grade and when at the corner of Augusta and New Courthouse Streets, where the track makes a sharp curve, it jumped the track, running into the payement and nearly into the door of Frank Crummett's conectionery store. Two hours later, on this

into the door of Frank Crummett's confectionery store. Two hours later, on this same grade, the same car got away from the motorman near Frederick Street and dashed wildly down the grade for two blocks.

The motorman realizing what danger he was in tumped from his car, leaving it is a same car leaving the test and corner, at which place it again left the track, ran upon the pavement and striking a telephone pole glanced and struck Crummett's store, crushing in he window and doing other damage.

Mrs. Gregory Spencer, of Williamshurg, was hart by jumping from the car, as was also George W. Jeaco, of Staunton, Mrs. John A. Alexander displayed wonderful nerve by staying on the car, and was not seriously hurt. The motorman was arrested to appear before the Police Justice te-morrow morning,

The Council will meet to-morrow morning at 3 o'clock and Corporation Court at 10, to consider the methods under which the receiver is running the cars.

AN IRISHMAN'S PLUCK

Successfully Combatted an Armed

Successfully Combatted an Armed Highwayman With a Stick.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
POCAHONTAS, VA. Sept. 23.—James Brady, a quiet, respectable firsh pedder, was assaulted by a highwaynan near the new tunnel between rocahontas and Cooper, W. Va., a day or so ago. The highwayman at the point of a pistol demanded his money, but Brady, who carries a heavy came, with an iron tup at the end, to give his assailant a blow with the cane, which assailant a blow with the cane, which felled him to the pearth. The robber fired several shots at the Irishman, only one of which touched him and that merely grazing the skin under his nose. A negro saw the trouble and reported the same to Cooper. Officers took both partles to Bramwell where the truth of the situation developed at the preliminary hearing. The robber, who claims to be James Lucas, was sent to Princeton jail. He claims to be from New York city

HOUSEWORK GOOD REGORD SAVED HIM

Captain of the Pine Beach Suspended for Six Months.

DOES ALIMONY CEASE?

The Court Will Have to Decide this Question in the Case of Mrs. Sculthorpe, Formerly Miss Cr. mwell-Virginia Plots.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch)
NORFOLK, VA., Sept. 23.—The decision of the local Pispectors of steam
vessels in the case of the collision between the steamer Pine Beach and the
schooner Crosby was made public today. Captain II. G. Munden, of the Pine
Bench, is sentenced to 150 days' suspen-

August the divorced wife of Sheriff A. C. Cromwell: of Norfolk county, is seeking by law to force the payment of \$35 a month allmony, which Cromwell cased to pay after his wife's marriage, having always done so before.

The case is now before the Civenit Court. Judge Prentis will have to decide whether the marriage unmilled the allmony decision or not.

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Joshua Miller, collector of the Norfoli: Railway and Light Company, has been missing-for two days. His family one greatly worried.

DEPEND ON OLD LAW.

The Virginia Pilots' Association will depend upon a law passed by Congress more than a century ago for its very existence and the right, to make compulsory charges to be assessed against all vessels, regardless of their using the services of the association's men or of their own pilots. The defense in the suits brought to recover these fees assessed against vessels which declined she pilot's services, to-day held that the State son right to grant admirally remedy in a suit recoverable in the State courts, and that therefore vessels can to be liable, under the Virginia law of compulsory pilotage. The defense combattle the demurer on the ground that the old act of Congress referred to enables the several States to regulate pilotage. Judge Prentis took the case under advisement.

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STORM COMING.

All south-bound shipring was warned by the local Westher Bureau this afternoon that it would be exceedingly dangerous for it to venture forth from port in the teeth of the gale that is now coming up the coast. It is improbable that any sailing vessels will leave port to-night in consequence of the warnings, but all the liners got away on time. Storms do not deter the fast vessels having schedules to make.

MORE ROOM FOR SCHOOLS

Growing System in Charlottesville to be Well Provided For.

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(Special to the Times-Dispatch.)

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Sept. 23.—
The stead by increasing excetience of the public schools of this city and the rapid addition to numbers, due to the acknowledged value of the instruction, has made it absolutely necessary to have more room. A new building, to have the light school and a part of the primary grade, has been under consideration for the past two years and at last ground has been broken for this structure, which is to contain two rooms on the first floor for the youngest children admitted to the school, six rooms for the high school and for inhoratory purposes, and an assembly room, about 60x70 feet in dimensions, which can be converted into schools make thin course necessary.

The structure is to be of brick and located immediately east of the present Midway building, and joined to it by a bridge. This connection is to be of brick, pierced by a porte cochere, in general style, both of interior and of exterior. Midway building is copied. The structure faces north and south, these facades or elevations being counterparts of each other.

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The first consideration in making the plans for the building was safety and more strength than was needed has been provided for. The specifications call for the best of material, satisfactory veritlation and the building is to be ready by the 1st of May. The contractors are Messrs. Vandegrift & Flich, the senior member of the firm being a veteran builder. The building and furnishings will cost about \$10,000.

Ten years ago, when Midway was built, twolve rooms were firished, and they were adequate to house all the punits enrolled. Since then the assembly room has been converted into school rooms, and two other rooms have been fitted up in the basement, making twenty in all. In addition to these, the office has been used as a school room during two sees or, and yet there is such overcrowding as to give trouble in school management as well as in hyrienic directions.

FIRE IN CHARLOTTESVILLE

Building Occupied by the C. &. O. as Office and Store Room Damaged. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Sept. 23.—
Charlottesvillo had another early morning in to-day, lames being discovered at 25.40 o'clock this morning in the building in the Chesapeake and Ohio yard, used by General Foreman W. F. Huntley, as an office and also as a storeroum. The building was about two-thirds destroyed and S300 worth of stores damaged by fire and water. The office furniture and stationers were saved, but a considerable quarracy by secords was cost The finished brass work and the more expensive portion of the stores were also sayed.

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The fire is supposed to have originated from a torch, carried by some one who had entered the storeroom to propule material, the torch igniting a ball of wicking on one of the shelves. As it was midnight when the last workman was in the storeroom, the fiames must have been smothered for some time. The alarm was sounded by eighe whistles. The volunteer fire department together with the roundhouse force, did good work and saved "the building and contents from total destruction.

Mr Huntley's temporary headquarters are now in the "bunk house," within a few yards of the burned building.

RECEIVERS APPOINTED

NeNally Oil Manufacturing Company With Large Liabilities.

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(By Associated Press.)

NORFOLK, VA., September 23.—Upon the netition of creditors having claims aggregating \$5,000. Bankruntey Referee D. I., Groner to-day appointed George L. Pilcher and John B. Jenkins receivers for the McNaily Oil Manutacturing Company, which operate a large plant near Norfolk. The habilities of the concern are \$5,000, three-fifths of which being a bonded indebtedness held by the Clüzens Bank. Tench F. Talghiman, cashier of this bank, is vice-president of the oil company.



assignment for the purpose of preventing the general creditors securing prefer-ence over the others. The majority of the company's creditors are Norfolk firms.

SOCIETY WEDDING

St. J. hn's Church, Roanoke, Scene of a

Frillint Ass molago.

QUIET HOME WEDDING

Lieut, John Francis Marshall, U. S. A., Weds Miss Bessle Raid Grandy. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

Coming Wedding.

Newell-Pleasants.

AT THE FAIR

Five Thousand on the Ground

at Fredericksburg Fair. German.

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Soptember 3.—To-day was the big day of the fair, the grounds presented an animated

The grounds presented an animated scene, the crowd numbering at its height over 5,000. The judging has been completed and the ribbons distributed. Among the principal prize winners week. B. Rowe and Co., George Purvis, L. W. Jones, B. P. Sullivan, A. R. Howard, Co. Brooks L. R. Col-

A BIG DAY

Witch SOAP AN APPEAL FOR WAR

> Popular Feeling is Becoming More Excited.

MASSACRES CONTINUE

While Sultan's Government Discusses Preparations for Reforms His Troops Continue to Kill and Devastate the Country.

(By Associated Press.)

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOKE, VA., Sept. 22.—The first society inatrimonsal event of the fall senson occurred at St. John's Church at high noon to-day. The controling parties were Miss Clarinda C. Gray, the attractive and accomplished young daughter of Mrs. Henry V. Gray, and Mr. Henry Fairfax Luske, district manufery of the Mutical Life Insurance Company, Rev. M. I. Million, the rector, officiated.

The church was beautifully de-orated with potted plants, goldenred and candidas. SOFIA, BULGARIA, Sept. 23.-A less opeful feeling prevails to-day in govern-Mr. C. W. Luske, of Washington, bro-Mr. C. W. Luske, of Washington, brother of the groom was best man, and Mrs. Lenier Gray matron of honor. Miss Naniel Hilledry presided at the organ, playing Lohengrin's wedding march as the bridal party entered, "Oh! Promiss Medicing the ceremony and Mendelssohn's march as the party left the church. The bride cittered with her brother, vincent Gray, preceded by ushers and matron of honor. A lunch followed at the home of the bride, after which the couple left for Asheville, N. C., the former home of the groom.

sofia, Bulgaria, Sept. 23.—A less hopeful feeling prevails to-day in government circles regarding the general situation, although no actual change is reported. The events of the next two days are awaited with great anxiety, and popular feeling is becoming more excited. A largely attended meeting of Macedonian sympathizers, held at Rustchuk, Bulgaria, has adopted resolutions appealing to the Bulgarian government to declare war on Turkey immediately.

In revolutionary circles war is believed to be imminent unless Turkey stops massacring the Christians, of which there are no signs at present. Dr. Christo Tartcheff, president of the Macedonian organizations, has informed the Associated Press correspondent that the insurgent committees attach no importance to the reported negotiations between Turkey and Bulgaria, because similar propositions werd discussed in 1897 and later in 1893 and 1900. The Porte, added Dr. Tatartcheff, only entered into the conference in order to gain time to finish the extermination of what it regards as the dangerous elements in Macedonia, and have the troops flow at Monastir free to move against Bulgaria and bring more soldlers from Asia. While the Sultan's government is discussing preparations for reform in Macedonia the troops continue to massacre the Christians and devastale the country.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., September 28.—Miss Bessie Reld Grandy, daughter of the late A. H. Grandy, editor of the Yirginian-Pilot, was to-day married to Lieutenant John Francis Marshall, United States army. The ceremony was performed at the residence in Freemison Street, by the Rev. Carl E. Grammer.

Owling to the very recent bereavement of the family, Miss Grandy's wedding, which would otherwise have been one of the brilliant social events of the Season, took place in the presence of only the immediate relatives and friends of the families. massacre the Christians and devastate the country.
Special significance attaches to the Macedonian meeting at Rustchuk, because the resolutions adopted are the first open expression of such an emphatic character in favor of war coming from any popular meeting in Bulgaria. Rustchuk is the chief commercial town in the country. Resolutions were also passed thanking the Pope, the English bishops, the Trades Union Congress and the British and American press for their expressions of sympathy with the Macedonian.

Fighting is reported to have taken place near Kotchani, on the frontier, in which the Turks lost fifty men killed and the insurgents suffered a loss of ten. Goming Wedding.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

DANVILLE, VA.. September 23.—The
announcement of the approaching marriage in this city of Mrs. Myra Hart
McClain to Mr. John Joseph Long, which
will take place on the eleventh of November, has been made.

Mr. Long is a native of North Carolina, but has been in this city for the
past year in charge of the stemmery of
the American Cigar Company.

Mrs. McClain is one of Danville's most
popular ladies, but is a native of Henderson, Ky.

ASBESTOS FACTORY

Costly Fiberizing Machinery to Be Established. Newell—Pleasants.

(Spread to The Times-Dispatch.)

DANVILLE, VA., September 23.—Miss
Mary E. Pleasants, daughter of Mrs. J.
R. Pleasants, was married at high noon
to-day to Mr. M. G. Newell, of Greensboro, The ceremony was performed at
the home of the bride's mother, on Holbrook Street, and was witnessed by quite
a number of friends and relatives.

After the ceremony the young couple
left on an extended bridal tour North.

Costly Fiberizing Machinery to Be Established.

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(BEDFORD CITY, VA., Sept. 23.—

Ground was broken for the fiberizing plant of the American Asbestos Company yesterday, and this morning the first brick was laid. The plant will occupy the lots on the Greenwood property, formerly owned by Mr. Don J. Early, having a frontage of 300 feet on the siding of the Norfolk and Western Railway. The building will be 25x100 feet and two stories high, and this will contain the fiberizing machinery, while storage rooms will also be built later on for the crude, as well as fiberized, asbestos.

The machinery will cost \$20,000, and will have a capacity of 25 tons a day. This machinery has been ordered several months ago, as it has to be built especially for this particular deposit of asbestos, and it will be installed in the next sixty days, at most.

The mines in the country are working steadily, and already about 2,500 tons have been raised to the surface, awaiting transportation to Bedford. The quality of this asbestos is excellent, and the loss in fiberizing ranges from 2 to 5 percent, only. The mica on the property will also be developed, as it is especially nne for lutricating purposes.

Clark and Company, tobacco manufacturers, have decided to erset a leaf storage house on the part of their lot facing the Norfolk and Western sidetrack, and the first load of brick was hauled to-day.

Mr. John Watts has purchased the beautiful lot on the corner of Peaks and College Streets, and has contracted for a residence to be built at once.

The canning industry is at full tilt, and one Tarmer & do-day unloaded 200 bushels of tomatoes at H. M. Johnston's factory. This growing of tomatoes is becoming much more profitable than tobacco-raising, as the land is improved by the culture and the profits are quicker and larger, Mr. Johnston expects to enlarge his plant by another year, and turn out 20,000 cases per season. Meeks--Ham.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CLIFTON FORGE, VA., Sept. 23.-Mir,
H. P. Meeks, of the Chesapeake and Ohio
Mallway, and Miss Mary E. Ham were
quietly married at 8 o'clock this morning at the bride's home, Rev. E. W,
McCorkle officiating.

After a four to eastern cities they
will return here to reside.

DELIBERATE SUICIDE

Rhodes Packed His Samples and Informed His Firm of His Intention.

H. B. Rowe and Co., George Purvis, L. W. Jones, B. P. Suillvan, A. R. Howard, C. H. Hurkamp, E. O. Brooks, L. R. Colbert, George Nonco. T. J. Walker, Robert Harris, Frank Estos, George Newton, John Brooks, Miss Mary Miller, Mrs. P. L. Harris, Miss Mary Miller, Mrs. P. L. Harris, Mrs. George Nicholson, Mrs. S. L. Baggett, Miss Margaret Shepherd, Miss Lizzle Kelley, Mrs. W. A. Moncure, Mrs. C. B. Durrett, Mrs. B. F. Rose, Mrs. John M. Hall, Mrs. A. E. Sheppard, Mrs. J. B. Colbert, Mrs. W. H. Tyler, Mrs. George Ball, Miss Clarice Davis, Mrs. A. M. Tyler, Miss Fannie Thomposits Mrs. George Ball, Miss Clarice Davis, Miss Hallie Chichester, Miss Dolly Wnshington, Mrs. John Washington.

The day was a great one for the politicians and candidates for the various offices in many of the surrounding counties were present shaking hands with friends and smilling on the voters.

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The opera House to-night and was a success in every particular. The floor was covered with handsome coulses who danced until midnight, when a supper was served, and then danning was resumed and continued until near day-bread. Donch's Orchestra, of Washington furnished the music.

The steamer Caroline, which broke her piston rod on her last trip down the Rappahannock, and has been lying at her wharf here underseing repairs, resumed her regular schedule to-day.

M. H. Dickinson, a well known merchant of Spotsylvania, has announced himself an independent candidate for the Legislature from Spotsylvania county and this city. formed His Firm of His Intention.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BRISTOL, VA., Sept. 23.—W. S.
Rhodes, the traveling man, who shot nimself at Gate City, Va., on last Thursday, with suicidal intent, has since did of the wound inflicted in his head. Rhodes went at his task of self-destruction deliberately. Before firing the istal shot, he packed his samples away neatily, then addressed a lettr to the firm which he represented, informing them of his intention to end his life.

The iron mines of the Virginia Fron. Cosil and Coke Company at Maymend, Tonn. have closed down pending the work of relining the Bristol iron furnace.

MARRIED IN MASSACHUSETTS'

Dr. James H, Mapp, of Buena Vista Weds Miss Beatrice E, Bennett.

(Special to the Times-Dispatch.)

BUENA VISTA, VA., Sept. 23.—Dr.
James H. Mapp, one of Buena Vista smost prominent young physicians, was married to Miss Beatrice E. Bennett, of Groton, Mass. to-night at 8 o'clock at the Congregational Church, Groton,

the Congregational Church, Groton, Mass.
Miss Bennett is a very beautiful and accomplished young lady, who won many warm friends and admirers at this place during her stay three years ago as teacher of comistry at the Virginia College for Young Ladles.
After the ceremony a brief reception was held at the home of the bride, from which they left for an extended tour through places of interest in the United States and Canada.

LIFE UNBEARABLE

Judge Blackstone Will Not Be Able to Hold Court Soon.

Hold Court Soon.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Sept. 23.—
William Murphy and Tuck Felt, two coal stokers, belonging to the cruiser Olympia, were picked up here to-day and are being held for the navy yard authorities. They say they left the ship because life on it was unbearable.

The clerk here has been notified that Judge J. W. Q. Blackstone, of the Circuit Court, will not be able to hold court here for six weeks on account of his health.

Killed by a Fa'lin - Tree.

CASTORIA

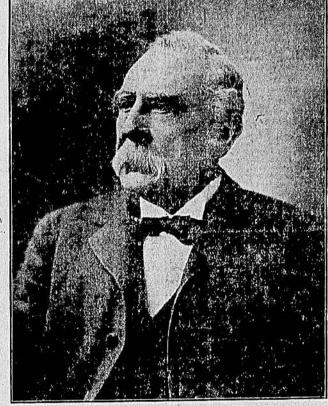
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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. It destroys Worms and allays Everishness. It cures Diarrhea and Wind Colle. It relieves Teothing Troubles and cures Constipation. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

In Use For Oyer 30 Years.

CAPT. EDWARD WHITEHEAD THE AMHERST MAGISTRATE



Almost a central figure in the recent political contest in Amberst was Captain Edgar Whitehead, who was reelected magistrate on the anti-Campbell ticket. If has served in this position in Amberst for fifteen years, Captain Whitehead's hajority was 25.5 in the district, about 80 ahead of the other candidates, and 140 ahead of Mr. Gilbert, who opposed him and was regarded as the candidate of S. A. Day and the liquor interests at Amberst. Captain Whitehead comes squarely by his title as a Confederate officer, and is now a hale and healthy specimen of manhood at seventy-five.

(ive. When Judge Campbell resented the crit-cisms of Rev. Mr. Carson in regard to the violations of the local option law in

In his own defense and declared it was the duty of the magistrate and not the judge to take cognizance of these cases,

ing in a lumber camp. He was felling trees and one struck him across his shoulder injuring him so severely that he lived only two hours.

His body reached here last night and was taken to his home. He is survived by a widow and five children. His age was about thirty-five years.

OLD-TIME TELEGRAPHERS

Military Corps in Annual Session in Milwaukee.

(By Associated Press.)

MILWAUKEE, WIS. Sept. 23.—The twenty-third annual reunion of O.d-Timo Telegraphers and Historical Association and Society of the United States All-tary Telegraph Corps, was held here to-dey

day. Henry C. Robinson, of Camden, N. J., Henry C. Robinson, of Camden, N. J., who has the distinction of having sent the first telegram from a balloon is amo g those attending the convention. It was one of Pres dent Lincoin's hobbies that balloons, could be used to advantage in covering the position of the enemy during the war and a balloon was sent up 400 feet and the following message sent over a wire connected with the War Department:

over a wire connected with the War Department:

"Up in a balloon.

"Vashington, April 18, 1861.

"To His Excellency, President Lincoln:
"It affords me much pleasure at this clevation to send you herewith the first telegraphic message ever transmit edfrom an aerial station. I desire to express my thanks to you for the encouragement you have given to the use of the balloon in the military service of the government.

"Respectfully,

balloon in the military service of the government.

"Respectfully,
"T. C. S. LOWE."

Atlanta was selected as the next place of meeting and officers were elected as follows: President, Charles C. Adams, of Atlanta, Ga.; First Vice-Pres'dent, J. M. Stevens, of Atlanta, Ga.; Second Vice-President, W. D. Adkins, of Atlanta, Ga.; Secretary-Treasurer, John Brant, of New York.

A resolution extending moral surport to the tournament of the American Fractural Telegraphic Association at Philipidelphia, October 31st, was adopted. To plivided Biates Military Telegraphic Corp. Chose Atlanta, Ga., as the next meeting place.

MR. EDWIN FREEGARD. SEC'Y U. T. A. COMING

Mr. Edwin Freegard, secretary of the United Typhothetse of America, will he in the city Monday September 28th, sthe guest of the Richmond Typothetae. A committee, composed of Mesers Edgar Furgusson, Everett Waddey and Robt, Mitchell, will prepare a suitable spread for the occasion, and the employing printers of the city, will be cut in full force to exchange greetings with their national secretary.

Condition of Mr. Vaurhan, The condition of Mr. Luther B. Vaugh-an, who continues critically ill, was not so favorable yesterday.

A TOUGH MAN OF MANY ESCAPES

Lewis M. Fields Dies Unexpectedly of His Terrible Injuries.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) weeks ago Lewis M. Fields fell seventyfive teet from a smoke-stack. thought that he would live, an thought that he would live, and he was growing better, when he became suddenly worse and died to-day.

A few years since Fields fell one hundred feet from Rivermont bridge, and lived to tell about it. Again, he fell from

lived to tell about it. Again, he fell from a telegraph pole and recovered. He was ance badly stabbed, and at another time he was severely injured by a blow on the head.

Though fearfully injured by his fall of three weeks ago, he made a remarkable fight for life, and lived three weeks with a concussion of the brain, broken bones and internal injuries.

A LOST DETECTIVE LOST ALL WORTH HAVING

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEWPORT NEWS., VA., September
23.—Richard Richards, the Chesapeake
and Ohlo detective who disappeared from the city a week ago, has been located at Charlottesville. He is said to have lost his money, badge and arms.

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